body, the essence of LB 848, which is the underlying legislative
bill, is a requirement that each applicant, for admission to the
bar of the state Nebraska, must submit a complete set of legible
fingerprints to the bar commission. The amendment to the...to
LB 848A simply reflects an amendment that was made to the bill
on General File. On General File the body amended LB 848 to
require all applicants for bar membership be required to submit
a set of fingerprints for a criminal history background check.
LB 848, in its original form, only required applicants who had
resided outside the state of Nebraska for a period of greater
than six months. Because of the amendment to make all
applicants apply, the bar...we need to authorize the State
Patrol to pay the Federal Bureau of Investigation for the
checks. There is no cost to the state of Nebraska because the
actual cost of having all applicants submit fingerprints will be
a part of the fee structure charged to the applicant. And I
would urge the body to adopt the amendment to LB 848A. Thank
you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Open for discussion. Senator Chambers, did
you take your light off? Anybody else wishing to discuss the
Brashear amendment? Seeing none, Senator Brashear, wish to
close? He waives closing. Question before the body is the
Brashear amendment to LB 848A. All in favor vote aye, opposed
nay. Have you all voted who care to? Record, please,
Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of
Senator Brashear's amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Brashear's amendment was adopted.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Chambers would move to amend.
(FA879, Legislative Journal pages 837-838.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Chambers, you're recognized to open
on your amendment to LB 848A.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, in
consultation with Senator Brashear, it was determined that the
emergency clause should be added to the A bill also, and that's